

Interview Summary

Application No.
09/145,987

Applicant(s)
NAKANISHI et al.

Examiner
Everett White

Group Art Unit
1623



All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Everett White (3) _____
(2) Laura Lomac (4) _____

Date of Interview Mar 29, 2000

Type: ☒ Telephonic ☐ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Agreement ☒ was reached. ☐ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: The pending claims or record

Identification of prior art discussed:

The prior art of record.

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

It was agreed that deletion of the phrase "substantially free from polybasic carboxylic acid" in Claim 1 of Applicants
amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 filed January 27, 2000 (Paper No. 8) (which was not entered because the amendment
raised new matter and issues that would require further consideration and/or search) would over come the new matter
rejection of the claims that was set forth in the Advisory Action filed March 3, 2000.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

1. ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

Unless the paragraph above has been checked to indicate to the contrary, A FORMAL WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION IS NOT WAIVED AND MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a response to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW.

2. ☐ Since the Examiner's interview summary above (including any attachments) reflects a complete response to each of the objections, rejections and requirements that may be present in the last Office action, and since the claims are now allowable, this completed form is considered to fulfill the response requirements of the last Office action. Applicant is not relieved from providing a separate record of the interview unless box 1 above is also checked.

Examiner Note: You must sign and stamp this form unless it is an attachment to a signed Office action.